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Viewing cable 05BUCHAREST1430, ECON, EBRD, EFIN, RO

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Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
05BUCHAREST1430	2005-06-24 11:45	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Bucharest

Appears in these articles:

<http://www.kamikazeonline.ro/2011/03/ambasada-sua-european-drinks-o-companie-care-apeleaza-la-practici-mafiote-si-face-concurenta-neloiala-coca-cola/>

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C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTION 01 OF 02 BUCHAREST 001430

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STATE FOR EUR/NCE - WSILKWORTH
COMMERCE FOR JBURGESS AND JKIMBALL
LONDON ALSO FOR US EBRD REP GBIERY

E.O. 12958: DECL: 06/24/2015
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SUBJECT: ECON, EBRD, EFIN, RO
REF: BUCHAREST 1304

Classified By: ECONOMIC SECTION CHIEF JOHN RODGERS FOR REASONS 1.4 B AN DD

- ¶1. (C) Summary: A meeting with the EBRD Director in Romania failed to change the Embassy's stance that a proposed loan to a local company of c
- ¶2. (C) Charge and Econoffs met with EBRD Romania Country Director Gacek at her request on June 23, following earlier meetings between local EF
- ¶3. (C) Despite Gacek's disinclination to discuss the EDG problem, Charge reiterated post's disappointment at not being included in the EBRD's
- ¶4. (C) In her reply, Gacek sought to deflect the Charge's concerns with the company's past bad practices by countering that the EBRD,s goals c
- ¶5. (C) On the issue of the proper time to inform the Embassy about the proposed loan, Gacek's replies were unclear: At one point she stated th
- ¶6. (C) In addition, on the question of Coca-Cola's stance on this loan, Gacek's understanding differed from the Embassy's.
- She stated that, while Coca-Cola shared negative press information, it had no hard evidence of improper activities, and had not conveyed to the
- ¶7. (C) The Charge conveyed our conflicting understanding of Coca-Cola,s strong opposition to the loan, and moreover, even stronger Embassy op
- ¶8. (C) Comment: While Gacek may be making an effort to mend fences here, her comments lead us to believe that she is also trying to practice c
- ¶9. (C) Comment, cont'd: This post continues to believe strongly that a loan approval for EDG would send entirely the wrong message to the GOR
- DELAIRE